

What is claimed is:

1. A graphical user interface comprising:
a selectable portion of a display screen related to a financial instrument;
a selectable tab for accessing a selectable portion of the display screen related to a forward position with respect to the financial instrument; and
wherein when the tab is selected, access is provided to the selectable portion of the display screen related to the forward position.
2. The graphical user interface of claim 1, wherein the portion of the display screen related to the financial instrument reflects market conditions for the financial instrument.
3. The graphical user interface of claim 1, wherein the portion of the display screen related to a financial instrument and the portion of the display screen related to the forward position each reflects market conditions related to the trading of the financial instrument.
4. The graphical user interface of claim 1, wherein the portion of the display screen related to a financial instrument and the portion of the display screen related to the forward position each reflects market conditions related to the trading of one of the forward positions.

5. The graphical user interface of claim 1, wherein the financial instrument is an interest-rate related instrument.

6. The graphical user interface of claim 1, further comprising a trading state and a forward position state.

7. The graphical user interface of claim 6, wherein, in the trading state, the selectable portion of a display screen related to a financial instrument and the selectable tab are displayed, and in the forward position state the selectable portion of a display screen related to a financial instrument and the short position with respect to the financial instrument are displayed.

8. The graphical user interface of claim 1, wherein the selectable portion of the display screen related to a forward position with respect to the financial instrument is adapted to display a plurality of forward positions.

9. A graphical user interface comprising:
a selectable portion of a display screen related to a financial instrument;

a selectable tab for accessing a selectable portion of the display screen related to a non-standard settlement position with respect to the financial instrument; and

wherein when the tab is selected, access is provided to the selectable portion of the display screen related to the non-standard settlement position.

10. The graphical user interface of claim 9, wherein the portion of the display screen related to a financial instrument reflects market conditions for the financial instrument.

11. The graphical user interface of claim 9, wherein the portion of the display screen related to a financial instrument and the portion of the display screen related to the non-standard settlement position each reflects market conditions related to the trading of the financial instrument.

12. The graphical user interface of claim 9, wherein the portion of the display screen related to a financial instrument and the portion of the display screen related to the non-standard settlement position each reflects market conditions related to the trading of one of the non-standard settlement positions.

13. The graphical user interface of claim 9, wherein the financial instrument is an interest-rate related instrument.

14. The graphical user interface of claim 9, further comprising a trading state and a non-standard settlement position state.

15. The graphical user interface of claim 14, wherein, in the trading state, the selectable portion of a display screen related to a financial instrument and the selectable tab are displayed, and in the non-standard settlement position state the selectable portion of a display screen related to a financial instrument and the

short position with respect to the financial instrument are displayed.

16. The graphical user interface of claim 6, wherein the selectable portion of the display screen related to a non-standard settlement position with respect to the financial instrument is adapted to display a plurality of non-standard settlement positions.